BEFORE THE

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application of Wisconsin Public Service Corporation for a Declaratory Ruling Regarding the Cancellation of the De Pere Energy Center Power Purchase Agreement and Combined Cycle Conversion

6690-DR-105

NOTICE OF PROCEEDING

Prehearing Conference Date: Thursday, September 12, 2002 – 1:30 p.m.

Conference Location: Public Service Commission, 610 North Whitney Way,

Madison, WI

THIS IS A PROCEEDING TO consider the petition by Wisconsin Public Service Corporation (WPSC), dated June 11, 2002, for a declaratory ruling pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.41 affirming that WPSC's proposed cancellation of its power purchase agreement with De Pere Energy L.L.C. (De Pere) and the cancellation of the combined cycle conversion of the De Pere Energy Center by De Pere is reasonable and prudent. WPSC's proposed acquisition of the De Pere Energy Center is being considered separately in docket 6690-EB-104.

A prehearing conference is scheduled for September 12, 2002, at 1:30 p.m. at the above-stated location to: (1) identify parties; (2) identify issues; (3) any other issues that will facilitate this matter.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

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Questions regarding this matter may be directed to docket coordinator Ra (608) 267-1474.	ındell Pilo at
Dated at Madison, Wisconsin,	
By the Commission:	
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Secretary to the Commission	
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